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Response to Office Action

In response to the Office Action ("Office Action") dated October 6, 2006, Applicant respectfully requests consideration of the following remarks and amendments prior to further examination of the above-identified application:

Claim Listings begin on page 2; and

Remarks being on page 8 of this Response to Office Action.